

## House Resolution No. 4193

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives feel it is altogether fitting and proper to pause from time to time to recognize individuals and organizations that have contributed to the welfare of this great state and its citizens; and

**Whereas**, the members now pause to recognize Betty Jean Kerr, of St. Louis, Missouri, President and Chief Executive Officer of People's Health Centers; and

**Whereas**, the service of Betty Jean Kerr is to be honored at a Gala Celebration to be held in downtown St. Louis on Friday and Saturday, July 13 and 14, 2007; and

**Whereas**, Betty Jean Kerr is being honored for her more than thirty years of service and her many contributions to her community, not the least of which is the Betty Jean Kerr Scholarship Fund; and

**Whereas**, the recipient of countless citations and commendations, Betty Jean Kerr is the recipient of the Aaron L. Brown Memorial Public Service Award from the National Association of Community Health Centers, the Merit Award in Public Health Services Region VII, inclusion in Who's Who Among Outstanding Business Executive Award – Universal Publication, the Outstanding Community Service Award from the Northside Preservation Commission, among others; and

**Whereas**, Betty Jean Kerr holds an advanced degree from Saint Louis University and degrees from Cardinal Glennon Hospital and the Brewster Duval School of Nursing in Jacksonville, Florida:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join to salute Betty Jean Kerr for her commitment and service to the St. Louis community with our sincerest gratitude for generosity; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Betty Jean Kerr.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_

Representative Connie L. Johnson, #61  
Representative John L. Bowman, Sr., #70  
Representative Maria N. Chappelle-Nadal, #72  
Representative Gina Walsh, #69  
Representative Margaret Donnelly, #73  
Representative Jake Zimmerman, #83  
Representative Charles R. Portwood, #92  
Representative Jeanette Mott Oxford, #59  
Representative Robin Wright Jones, #63  
Representative Rachel Storch, #64  
Representative Bruce Darrough, #75  
Representative Tony George, # 74  
Representative Rick Stream, #94  
Representative Rodney R. Hubbard, #58

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4193, adopted July 9, 2007.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker